

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 ADDIS 02594 271558Z  
ACTION AF-10

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 OPR-02 A-01 FS-01 MMO-01  
PM-04 INRE-00 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 DODE-00 SS-15  
NSC-05 NSCE-00 SCA-01 OC-06 CCO-00 PER-01 USIE-00  
SSO-00 /067 W

-----271704Z 013800 /46

O 271554Z APR 77

FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3694  
INFO AMCONSUL ASMARA IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY ATHENS IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L ADDIS ABABA 2594

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: AEMR, PFOR, ET, US

SUBJ: WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICANS FROM ETHIOPIA

REF: ADDIS ABABA 2584

1. WORLD AIRWAYS DC-8 WITH 154 PAX ABOARD LIFTED OFF AT 1740  
LOCAL. NO PROBLEMS. GEN. FYE, PAO, PLUS FIVE MAAG AND TWO NAMRU  
HAVE REMAINED BEHIND.
2. USIS READING ROOM SUPERVISORS AT GONDAR, DIRESAWA, NEKEMPTE  
AND JIMMA HAVE REPORTED IN THAT LOCAL OFFICIALS ARE REFUSING  
TO LET THEM SHIP EQUIPMENT TO ADDIS AS REQUESTED BY EMBASSY.  
WE TOOK MATTER UP WITH MOFA, WHICH PROMISED TO TRY AND HELP.
3. BOTH BRITISH AND ITALIAN EMBASSIES HAVE INFORMED US THEY HAVE  
ALSO RECEIVED THREE-DAY EXTENSION IN ASMARA.  
TIENKEN

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** CLOSURE OF OFFICES, EVACUATIONS  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 27-Apr-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977ADDIS02594  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D770147-0196  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** ADDIS ABABA  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1977/newtext/t19770416/aaaaanjx.tel  
**Line Count:** 45  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** 3664c19c-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION AF  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 77 ADDIS ABABA 2584  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 04-Feb-2005 12:00:00 am  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 2685862  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICANS FROM ETHIOPIA  
**TAGS:** AEMR, PFOR, ET, US  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/3664c19c-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
22 May 2009  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009